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For : **STABLE GABAPENTIN HAVING pH WITHIN A CONTROLLED  
RANGE**

Enclosed are:

1. **24** sheets of specification, **1** sheets of claims, and **1** sheet of abstract.
2. **0** sheet(s) of drawings.
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5. Related Applications:

This application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/227,244 filed August 26, 2002, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/880,922 filed June 15, 2001, which claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/211,966 filed June 16, 2000, the contents of all of which are incorporated herein by reference.

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